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## CAPITAL PREPARES TO OFFER THANKS

### Thursday Will Find Churches and Homes Celebrating Ancient Custom.

#### TURKEY BIG PROBLEM

Washington, national center of war preparation and of world events of historic significance, will pause next Thursday for a Thanksgiving day celebration which will be notable in the country's history.

Acting in the spirit of the President's message, that the custom of this generation's forefathers can be followed "even now in the midst of a tragedy of a world shaken by wars and immeasurable disaster," the Capital city will observe Thanksgiving day more reverently and more generally, perhaps, than ever before.

Just one year ago from next Thursday President Wilson, the Austro-Hungarian ambassador and Count von Bernstorff, German ambassador now departed, sat together in St. Patrick's Church at a memorial service for the Austrian emperor.

#### City-Wide Expression.

For this year's Thanksgiving the outstanding feature in Washington will be a city-wide expression of gratitude for the men who have enlisted in the nation's service; and this gratitude will be shown by having thousands of these soldiers and sailors as guests in the city's homes, and by provision for their entertainment by churches, lodges, theaters and clubs.

The now historic Pan-American mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's Church and Cardinal Gibbons will give his blessing at the mass. Attending will be diplomatic representatives of South American nations.

President Wilson this year will go to a union service of seven Methodist churches in conjunction with the Junior Order of American Mothers at Metropolitan Memorial M. E. Church, where Bishop William F. McDowell will deliver the sermon.

#### To Read Proclamation.

In all churches of the city there will be services, and the President's proclamation, issued in the midst of momentous events, will be read and prayers for a permanent peace will blend with supplications for the success of men-at-arms who are fighting for world liberty.

Special provision will be made for the city's poor in missions and special services and dinners are promised at the Central Union and Gospel missions. At the rail and workhouse at Occoquan proper observance of the day is promised, though details have not yet been announced.

Looming biggest among Thanksgiving problems is Mr. Turkey, and the price of him is a matter of considerable interest to many institutions, homes and families who are yet debating whether they can have him and whether Thanksgiving would be quite the same without him. But in most instances the chances are that Mr. Hoover will be defied, and the price, and that a nation which has shown its capacity for abnegation will recess for a day and eat as heartily as usual.

#### Churches Open All Day.

Not only will many churches be open for services, according to Thanksgiving custom dating back to early Pilgrim days at Plymouth, but this year many will remain open all day for entertainment of soldiers and sailors who are fighting for world liberty.

At the White House there will be turkey, but whence the turkey is coming is not yet known to White House employees. It has not yet arrived.

Thanksgiving day not only will be an occasion of grateful expressions by church-going and of family gatherings about well-laden tables, but will as never before be an occasion for hospitality, literally to the "strangers within our gates," in accord with scriptural injunction. Not only have thousands of invitations poured in to enlisted men through the soldier guest editor of The Star, but many other families will have guests in uniform, friends from "back home."

#### Flag With 200 Stars.

At St. Aloysius Church there will be unfurled a flag with 200 stars, representing men from that congregation in the service, and attending the mass there will be 1,400 men of the 3d Sunday Brigade, with many from camps about Washington.

On Thanksgiving night, in the historic old parish hall of Trinity Church, Georgetown, a dinner will be given, at which will be launched the campaign of that parish to raise \$65,000 within ten days for building additions to the church.

Foundry M. E. Church will be open Thanksgiving evening for a reception to all business women of the city, especially those who have come here recently to work in government departments.

At Bethlehem Chapel, the Cathedral, Mount St. Albans, services will be held Thanksgiving day at 7:30, 10, 11 and 8:15 o'clock.

#### Union Thanksgiving Services.

Lutherans will hold a union Thanksgiving service at Luther Memorial Church, Thomas circle, at 11 o'clock. Union Thanksgiving services of Baptist churches also will be held at Calvary Church, 8th and H streets, with a sermon by Rev. Dr. Samuel H. Greene.

Two new national anthems, never before sung, will be features of a special musical program at the First Presbyterian Church. Men in uniform will attend, and invitations have been extended to members of the United States Supreme Court and the cabinet.

Entertainments for Uniformed Men. Music for the Thanksgiving entertainment, reception and dance for soldiers, sailors and marines to be given under the joint auspices of all Park View community organizations is to be furnished by the Community Band of the District of Columbia, according to announcement last night. The band, of thirty-six pieces, has just organized and is holding frequent rehearsals at the Franklin School. Every member is a musician, many of the men having played with well known organizations in Washington and elsewhere.

The director is R. R. Stratton. The Thanksgiving evening entertainment at the Park View School is to conclude an entire day devoted to entertaining uniformed men of all branches of the service and from all camps, posts, barracks, etc., in and near the District of Columbia. A general invitation has been extended to all such sons of Uncle Sam to attend.

#### COAL PRODUCTS BULLETIN.

Series by Curator C. G. Gilbert Outlines Industrial Possibilities.

"Coal Products: An Object Lesson in Resource Administration" is the title of a review of the coal industry by Chester G. Gilbert, curator of the division of mineral technology of the National Museum. One of three bulletins so far issued, it outlines the industrial possibilities of the minerals of this country. The series will deal particularly with mineral conditions arising from the war, and when completed will have dealt with the possibilities of the entire list of the minerals of the United States.

The coal products bulletin covers a wide field, ranging from mining operations to the latest possibility in the way of by-products. The other bulletins already out cover fertilizers and sulphur, both being the work of Joseph E. Pogue of the mineral technology division. The first edition of all three is exhausted, and 10,000 more will be printed in the near future.

## WASHINGTON ALUMNI RAPS VIRGINIA SPEECH

Declare Prof. Whipple's Address to Girl Students Unpatriotic and Dangerous.

The alumni in Washington of the University of Virginia—one of the largest organizations of any educational institution of the United States in the National Capital, and which includes many celebrities—joins in the condemnation of Prof. Leon G. Whipple of the chair of journalism at the University of Virginia, for utterances before girl students of Sweet Briar College, Va., regarded as un-American.

The members of the executive committee, in a telegram to President E. A. Alderman of the University of Virginia, condemn the language of Prof. Whipple and urge his suspension until the proper authorities may act. The telegram reads:

"We wish to express our unqualified condemnation of the statements of Prof. Whipple as reported in the press. It is almost inconceivable that a man familiar with the ideals and traditions of the university could be guilty of such unpatriotic and reprehensible conduct in its advocacy of the Red Cross."

"Aside from all other considerations, if he is correctly quoted, he has demonstrated his complete lack of loyalty towards his country which unites him for his present position and for useful contact with the patriotic youth of our land. Under such circumstances we assume that the board of visitors will take appropriate action as soon as it convenes. It is advised that the board we hope that you have and will exercise the power of suspension."

The telegram was signed by Milton C. Elliott acting president of the alumni organization; R. Walter Moore, Alfred F. Thom and W. Humphreys, members of the executive committee. Mr. Elliott is counsel for the Federal Reserve Board. Mr. Moore is counsel for the Interstate Commerce Commission; Mr. Thom was formerly general counsel of the Southern railway, and Mr. Humphreys is an expert of the weather bureau.

#### PLANS FOR THE HOUSING OF NEW WORKERS IN CITY

Building at 11th and M Streets Remodeled—Interest Manifested in Y. W. C. A. "Hostess Houses."

The structure at 11th and M streets northwest, which was taken over by the Young Women's Christian Association some time ago, has been remodeled and will afford housing accommodations for 150 girls who come to this city to work. Classes in cooking and food conservation are to be opened in the building shortly after Christmas.

Mrs. Newton D. Baker is to open her home at 3017 N street northwest Tuesday afternoon to the women engaged in the campaign to raise \$20,000. Washington's quota of a national total of \$4,000,000 to be expended for erection and maintenance of "hostess houses" at camps and cantonments throughout the country and the finding of proper housing facilities for girls who go to the munitions centers and to overcrowded cities to work.

Mrs. Eyer, Mrs. Josephus Daniels and Mrs. Robert Lansing are the members for the District of Columbia of the war work council which has planned for the \$4,000,000 budget. Mrs. James Stewart Cushman of New York is the chairman of the executive committee of the war work council and the vice chairmen are Mrs. John R. Mott of Montclair, N. J., and Mrs. John L. Meigs of Pottstown, Pa. Mrs. P. Davidson is treasurer. Other prominent women on the council are Mrs. Robert Bacon, Mrs. Winston Churchill, Mrs. Leonard Wood, Mrs. Franklin P. Cator, Mrs. Coleman du Pont, Mrs. Willard D. Straight and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr.

Mrs. Howard Hughes of Trenton, N. J., and Mrs. John L. Meigs of Pottstown will be the principal speakers at the drawing room meeting at Mrs. Baker's.

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The Washington-Philadelphia local sleeping car handled on this train will leave Washington on train No. 25 at 12:25 a.m.

Train No. 21—Philadelphia-Washington Express will be discontinued between Philadelphia and Baltimore and continue on its present schedule, leaving Baltimore, Camden station, 10:00 a.m., arriving Washington 10:30 a.m.

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## BOYS, DON'T FORGET YOUR KNITTING BAGS.



These two young men, Sebastian A. Ritzger (on left) and his brother, Othmar (right), created a sensation when they seated themselves in the lobby of New York's hotel for women, the Marlborough, opened a small handbag and took out their knitting. The woman guests immediately became interested in the unusual sight and soon learned that the two gentlemen knew the art. When politely questioned the new knights of the needle declared that because all the women are knitting for the soldiers they decided it was up to the sterner sex to supply the nurses with sweaters and other comforts. They have already knitted nine sweaters, which they have turned over to the Red Cross.

## SAYS THE GERMAN PEOPLE ARE LONGING FOR PEACE

Senor Roman, Consul General of Uruguay in Berlin, Quoted by Bern Correspondent.

Cablegram to The Sunday Star and New York World. Copyright, 1917. LONDON, November 24.—The Daily News prints a dispatch from Bern quoting Senor Roman, who has just arrived from Berlin, where he had been for four years consul general of Uruguay. The correspondent quoted Senor Roman as follows:

"Rejoicing over the victories in Italy were very noisy, but I do not think these victories will seriously affect the intense longing for peace felt by all classes in Germany. Peace is the one subject discussed in trolley cars, restaurants and in homes."

## PRISON CANTONMENT STARTED

Camp at Leavenworth for Slackers, Spies and Alien Enemies.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., November 24.—Work is to be started immediately on a prison cantonment here to accommodate 3,000 persons, in which will be lodged slackers, spies, alien enemies and other "war offenders," it was announced today.

The building will cost \$236,000.

## TO DISPLAY CHILD'S BOOKS.

Public Library Ready for Annual Exhibit Here.

The Public Library will hold its annual exhibit of the best and most popular children's books from November 26 to December 15. The books will be found in the office of the children's department, and the collection includes a wide range of titles and prices.

The exhibition is held so that Christmas book buyers for children may have guidance in respect to the books they buy.

## COLORED CITIZENS TO MEET.

Address by Commissioner Gardiner at Dunbar School Tomorrow Night.

A meeting of colored citizens of the District is booked for tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock in the main auditorium of the Dunbar High School, under the auspices of the Volunteer Guard, Division of the Home Defense League. Commissioner W. Gwynn Gardiner will deliver an address.

Miss M. L. Europe will preside at the pipe organ. Patriotic selections will be sung by the audience. The Dunbar High School Glee Club will render several numbers. An informal reception will be held in the armory of the school after the program is concluded.

## Less Sugar Cane for Table Sirups.

Manufacture of table sirups in this country will be conducted with less sugar cane and more corn sirup in future, in order to help conserve the nation's sugar supply, according to action taken recently at a conference of representatives of sirup manufacturers with officials of the national food administration.

The representatives agreed to standardize table sirups, and to use no granulated sugar in the manufacture of their products. They also named a committee to police the industry in this country. Those attending the conference were Daniel Scully, Chicago; R. S. F. Steuart, Baltimore; George S. Mahana, New York; Sol Brown, New Orleans and Bernard Rich, St. Louis.

## Cotton 30 Cents a Pound.

ATLANTA, Ga., November 24.—Spot cotton sold here today at 20 cents a pound. This is said to be the highest price reached in Atlanta since the civil war.

## ORCHESTRAL CONCERT.

By the United States Soldiers' Home Band Orchestra, in Stanley Hall, this evening at 8:30 o'clock.

John S. M. Zimmermann, director.  
"My Country, 'Tis of Thee."  
March, "Civilization," Scherzinger.  
Overture, "Opera Bouffe," Finck.  
Entr'acte—  
(a) "The Dew Is Sparkling," Rubinstein.  
(b) "Every Morn I Send Thee Violets," Meyer-Helmund.  
Selection, "Madame Butterfly," Selection, "The Soldiers' Song," Fox-trot, "Mother, Dixie and You," Johnson.  
Waltz suite, "La Plus Belle," Johnson.  
The Most Beautiful, Waldteufel.  
Intermezzo, "In Shadow Land," Herbert.  
Finale, "New Orleans Jazz," Richardson.  
"The Star Spangled Banner."

## ARMY WOMEN BOOM FUND.

Aid in Work to Raise Money to Buy Knitters' Wool.

Contributions to the wool fund of the women's relief committee for engineer soldiers were received last night at the home of William P. Eno, 1771 N street northwest, where Henry J. Davidson of New York, interior decoration expert, lectured on "The Psychology of Color in Decoration."

The proceeds of the lecture will be used to purchase wool for garments for engineer troops. Mrs. William Murray Black, wife of Brig. Gen. Black of the Engineer Corps, headed a list of prominent patronesses. Others associated with her in the raising of funds were Mrs. Tasker H. Bliss, wife of the acting chief of staff of the Army; Mrs. Joseph E. Kahn, wife of Gen. Kahn, commander of Camp Meade; Mrs. Alfred Belden Belden, Mrs. Noble and Mrs. Charles Broughton Wood.

The lecture of Mr. Davidson was featured by suggestion for home decorations. Great care should be exercised, he declared, in decorating the home and every color should harmonize with the views of occupants. A deep psychology is evident in all strong, fast colors, according to the speaker.

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